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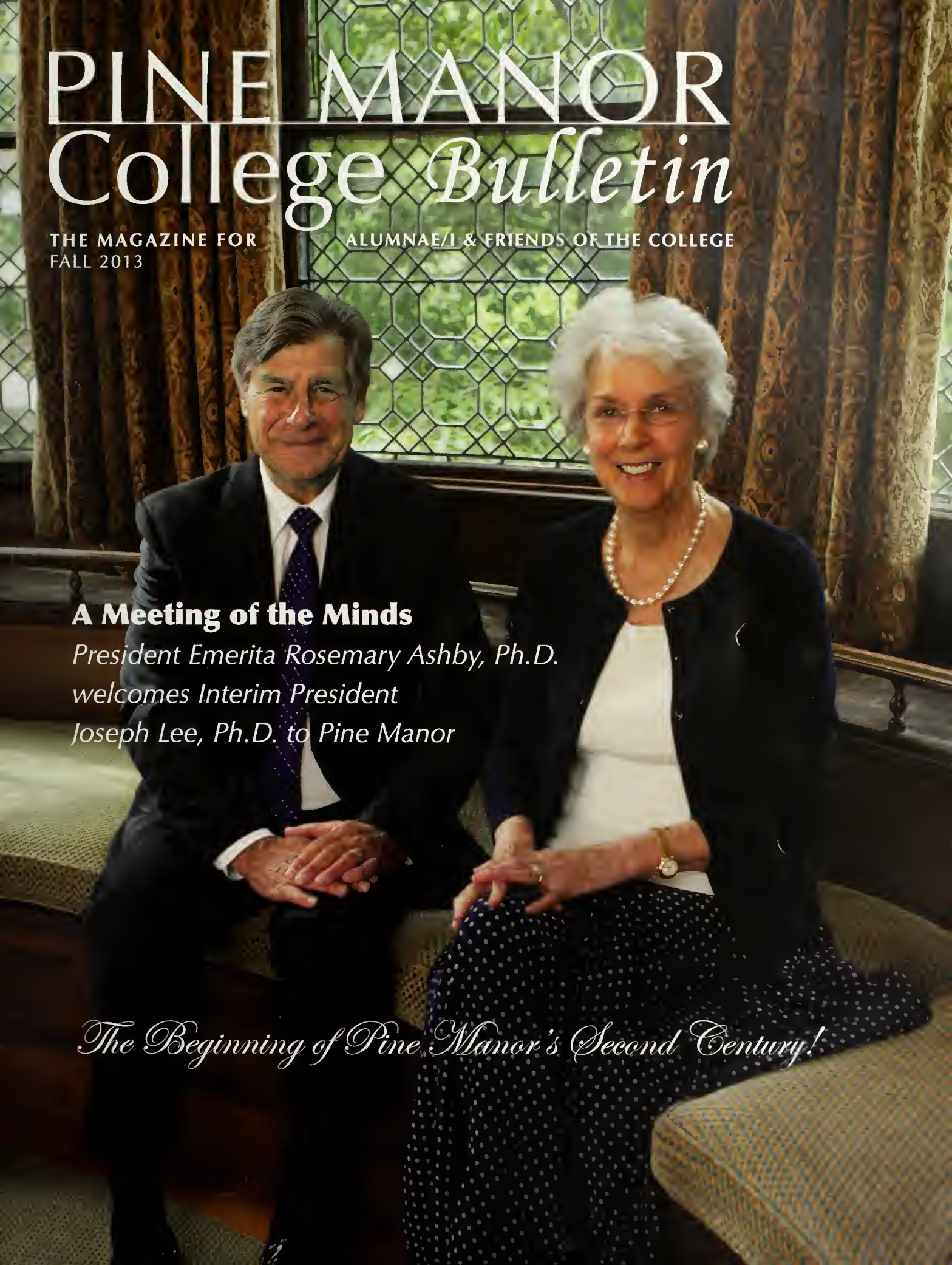

A Meeting of the Minds

President Emerita Rosemary Ashby, Ph.D. welcomes Interim President Joseph Lee, Ph.D. to Pine Manor

The Beginning of Pine Manor's Second Century!

Centennial Celebration

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO PARTICIPATED IN AND CONTRIBUTED TO THE CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION WEEKEND!

Alumnae, trustees, faculty, staff and friends of the college gathered for a weekend filled with shared memories, stimulating seminars, delicious meals, captivating speakers and a magnificent Centennial Dinner. We enjoyed meeting and reconnecting with new and old friends and appreciated a marvelous dinner keynote speech by alumna Emily Kernan Rafferty '69, President of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

During the weekend, guests attended seminars, a gallery reception and a luncheon among other activities, and learned first-hand how they can be involved in supporting the college's mission. This weekend celebration capped three years of Centennial planning and events nationwide, including alumnae gatherings in Napa Valley, Northern California; St. Louis, Missouri; Boston, Massachusetts; Bronx, New York; Sarasota, Florida; West Palm Beach, Florida; Chicago, Illinois; and Houston, Texas.

Very special thanks and appreciation goes to Elizabeth Van Orsdel Moulds '64, for her devoted and energetic leadership as Centennial Chair! Betsy's unfailingly cheery leadership, her skillful and able management, her generosity and participation in nearly every event made Pine Manor's Centennial the brightest beacon imaginable as the college moves into its second century. Thank you Betsy!!!

For more pictures from the centennial weekend, please visit
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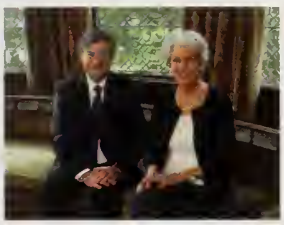

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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Members of the Pine Manor Community,

At this time of year the College undergoes a remarkable transition – the quiet of the summer gives way to the livelier atmosphere of new and returning students, faculty and staff. Our mission continues to thrive as students begin their pursuit of knowledge, build relationships with peers and faculty and find their voice within our small and nurturing community.

The College has transformed itself several times in its history and always with a commitment to excellence. This fall, as we enter our 103rd year, we mark an additional and significant transition, one that has been in the making for over a decade – to become a completely co-educational institution in all of our programs. Building on the desire to expand our diversity and enrich the learning experience at the College, we have invited men to become part of our community and share in all of the opportunities that Pine Manor offers.

We have much to look forward to in 2013-14, and substantial work ahead of us to fortify the College against the continuing uncertainties. As you know, the College has tackled unprecedented enrollment and financial challenges, and through those struggles we have learned a great deal. I had the profound pleasure of meeting with President Emerita Dr. Rosemary Ashby (1976-1996) recently. Dr. Ashby provided invaluable insight into the history of the College as well as words of wisdom; I am very grateful for her continued dedication and commitment to Pine Manor.

As we look ahead, the College Bulletin is an opportunity for you to learn about the many activities on campus, and our key initiatives, including the momentous decision to become co-educational, as well as to remember wonderful faculty who have left us. It is also an opportunity to salute and honor the generosity of our loyal supporters. We anticipate future Bulletins as Pine Manor continues to grow.

I would like to encourage you to visit our campus often and experience Pine Manor firsthand. There are many opportunities to do so - art exhibits at the Hess Gallery, quiet time in the Annenberg Library, a visit to a class in Haldan Hall or simply walking the spectacular College grounds. You will find Pine Manor's history at every corner, and while you are on campus, I hope that you will stop by the Office of the President to say hello!

Sincerely,

Joseph Lee

Joseph Lee, Ph.D.,
PMC's Interim President

POWERFUL PHILANTHROPY EXTRAORDINARY CARE

DANE SCIENCE CENTER

Maconda Brown O'Connor, '50

It is impossible to walk around our beautiful campus and not be aware of the important impact Maconda Brown O'Connor has had on Pine Manor College. The Brown Learning Resource Center is but one example, each year offering critical tutorial services that contribute significantly to our students' academic success, leadership skills and self confidence. Each year, as well, students head to class to pursue their dream of earning a degree from Pine Manor College because scholarship funding from The Brown Foundation, Inc. of Houston has made their attendance possible. Many an Annual Fund and Capital Campaign have been accelerated and enlivened by grants and challenge grants from The Brown Foundation so that facilities could be improved and programs strengthened. Year after year, Maconda, known as "Mac" while a student, was a persuasive advocate for the College. It would be hard to over-estimate her support of the mission of the College and the difference she made to so many lives. Maconda's creative and vigorous intelligence, her good judgment and her unwavering loyalty have been among Pine Manor's most valuable assets. From 1983-1986 she served as a Trustee, and in 2005 she received an honorary degree and was elected a Trustee Emerita. Even weeks before Maconda passed away on May 19, 2012, she was meeting about Pine Manor and offering her thoughts and hopes for the College's future. Pine Manor remains a grateful beneficiary of support from the Brown Foundation, recently receiving a generous grant for unrestricted operational support.

Maconda's spirit and support continue to inspire, inform and illuminate our work as the College moves to secure a strong future. The photographs on the right reflect the same kind of philanthropy as shown by Maconda Brown O'Connor.

ROSEMARY ASHBY STUDENT CENTER

ABERCROMBIE ARTS BUILDING

HALDAN HALL

ANNENBERG LIBRARY

Wine and Cheese Reception at the Hess Gallery during the dedication of "REEF" (shown in this picture), a fiber art sculpture donated by the artist, Sandra Golbert.

HESS GALLERY BRINGS ART AND INSPIRATION TO PINE MANOR

Fiber art by Sandra Golbert

The Hess Gallery, one of Pine Manor College's small but powerful treasures, has been located on the first floor of the Annenberg Library since it was moved from the single-carriage house in 1971. For the past two decades, thanks to the oversight of Assistant Professor of Visual Arts Carole Rabe, the gallery has blossomed into a sought-after resource for students, alumnae, and members of the surrounding community. Its stimulating exhibits feature mediums ranging from painting to sculpture, photography, and more. The gallery also hosts show openings and organizes artist lectures.

Haunted by Carolyn Wirth

"The Hess Gallery is not just a resource for art classes, it's for everybody," notes Rabe, who selects work for the gallery based on its strength and power but sees interdisciplinary opportunities in every exhibit. She views the gallery as both an opportunity for visual art students to interact with artists and an inspiration for disciplines ranging from English to Political Science.

According by Franklin Einspruch

"The current exhibit is very political and certainly offers food for thought for a variety of classes, both through its images and its text," Rabe said. Titled *We the People—Radical Rights By, With, For the People*, the exhibit features the work of Lebanese artist Chawky Frenn.

"I like to let the ideas of the artist come through and offer us new viewpoints and perspectives," Rabe said.

Pages for the Planet, Group exhibit of Boston-area artist's

Most artists who exhibit work at the Hess Gallery provide a workshop for Pine Manor students, a lecture, or both. "The artists are very generous with their time, and they really enjoy meeting with students and giving them an idea of what the day in the life of a real working artist is like," Rabe said.

Rabe, whose assistant is Carolyn Wirth, notes that the gallery's presence has improved the College's relationship with the surrounding community. Neighbors have shown increasing interest in the gallery, its exhibits and its lectures. Now that the Annenberg Library is part of the Minuteman Library network, members of the community can use the library and enjoy the gallery in a single visit.

We the People by Chawky Frenn

Upcoming shows during the 2013-2014 academic year include a Feb. 5 – March 20 exhibit of the work of five contemporary Korean artists who work in fiber and print, photography, painting, painting/drawing, and ceramics. The five artists will offer a campus-wide workshop. From March 26-May 11, Pine Manor alum Itaysha Jordan of Brooklyn will return to exhibit her unique, outstanding fashion photography. "Her work is just phenomenal," Rabe said.

"I firmly believe that creative thinking is at the heart of everything that human beings do," Rabe continued. "The gallery offers students an opportunity to experience visual communication and to interact with professional artists. I see understanding how the creative process works as a key piece of any person's education, whether they are going to make art or look at it. It enhances their lives on so many levels. It's hard to put into words how art makes people feel, but it does change the way they see the world."

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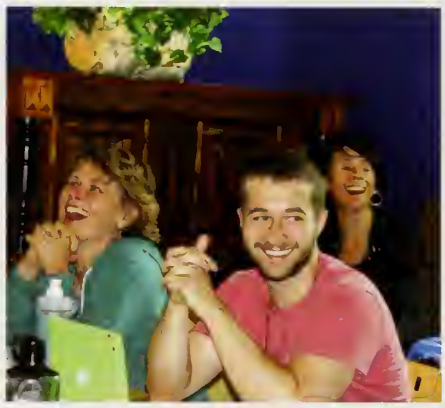
SOLSTICE MFA IN CREATIVE WRITING PROGRAM BRINGS AUTHORS AND STUDENTS TO PINE MANOR



PMC's Solstice Low-Residency MFA in Creative Writing Program - the only Masters degree program offered by Pine Manor College - has continued to thrive and grow over the past academic year. Ranked among the top fifteen low-residency programs in the U.S. and abroad for three years in a row, Solstice is keeping pace with some of the most prestigious and successful programs in the country. The MFA Program brings nationally acclaimed writers to the PMC campus for its 10-day biannual residencies, including: Pulitzer prize-winning poet **Stephen Dunn**, acclaimed essayist **Phillip Lopate**; writer-in-residence and bestselling novelist **Dennis Lehane**; 2010 National Book Award winner for poetry **Terrance Hayes**; and, at the program's July 2013 graduation, Commencement Speaker **Walter Dean Myers**, 2012-2013 National Ambassador for Young People's Literature.

The MFA Program now boasts 70 alumni, and has launched its own Alumni Association. Enthusiastic volunteers are helping to reach out to new and prospective students, coordinating an off-site reading at the annual Association of Writers and Writing Programs Conference, and assisting with a need-based scholarship fundraiser.

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The last year also saw the development and implementation of an Applied Track in Pedagogy, designed to give MFA students the skills they will need to teach writing at the college level. Solstice is one of the few low-residency programs offering this option as well as one of the only MFA Programs that offers fellowships for writers in all genre concentrations: the Michael Steinberg Fellowship for Creative Nonfiction, the Dennis Lehane Fellowship for Fiction, the Jacqueline Woodson Fellowship for a Young People's Writer of African or Caribbean Descent, and the Sharon Olds Fellowship for Poetry. The Program also offers the annual Hope Fellowship for Diverse Voices, and a new fellowship offered via a partnership with the literary magazine *Solstice: A Magazine of Diverse Voices*, the Kurt Brown Memorial Fellowship.

PMC alumni are invited to attend the MFA Program's reading series, held during its summer and winter residencies, and to audit a selection of its writing-related craft classes. Sign up for its monthly e-newsletter to receive information about these opportunities by visiting www.pmc.edu/mfa. Questions can be directed to Solstice MFA founding director Meg Kearney (kearneym@pmc.edu; 617-731-7684).

The Solstice MFA in Creative Writing Program accepts rolling admissions year round, and is currently reviewing applications for students wishing to begin the program in January 2014.

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE INSTITUTE (ELI) MARKS 18 YEARS OF FINANCIAL SUCCESS

In 1996, the English Language Institute (ELI) was launched as an international English Language Program with the charge of opening Pine Manor to international students seeking English learning opportunities and creating a new revenue stream and entrepreneurial profit center for the College. During the past 18 years, ELI has consistently achieved or exceeded the revenue goals that the College has established, with a gross revenue of over 25 million dollars and a net contribution to the College of over 12 million dollars. ELI has had a solid record of financial stability and growth, making over a 50% profit regularly.

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Thousands of students have enrolled in the program with a range of 350-650 students yearly. One of the key aspects of ELI's success has been that ELI has built and maintained strong international relationships and partnerships with a large network of international agents, representatives, programs, high schools, and universities that have sent students from a variety of countries including Argentina, Belgium, Benin, Bolivia, Brazil, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Chile, China, Colombia, Cost Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, France, Germany, Honduras, Israel, Italy, Ivory Coast, Japan, Kazakhstan, the Netherlands, Mexico, Peru, the Philippines, Poland, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Turkey, Venezuela, and Vietnam. Approximately 30% of the students have been from Latin America, 30% Asia, 30% Europe, and 10% from the Middle East and Africa.

The mission of the program is to help international students reach their academic, professional, and personal goals and foster multicultural understanding. To address the growing and diverse needs, ELI is offering a variety of programs and courses including: Intensive and Semi-intensive English, University Preparation, and Professional Studies programs. The classes include: Grammar, Reading, Writing, Speaking & Listening, Critical Thinking, TOEFL Preparation, and a variety of elective courses, including Pronunciation and Conversation, English for Business and the Professions, Oral Presentations/Communication skills, Idiomatic Expressions, History and Culture of Boston, Vocabulary Building, and Advanced Writing. Students can audit college classes, and many have continued on to matriculate in the undergraduate degree program. Students have participated and enjoyed Art, Business, Communication, Economic and Financial Systems, Management, Education, History, Marketing, Public Relations, Psychology, Social and Political systems, and Sociology classes. To enhance students' educational experience, a variety of on- and off-campus cultural activities and excursions are offered outside of the classroom.

ELI's ability to adapt and evolve as global economies changed has been a cornerstone of the program's success. Exploring new markets, developing new partnerships, and creating new programs has enabled ELI to thrive as world political and economic events fluctuated. ELI will continue to innovate to stay strong in an ever-changing world.

You are invited to learn more about ELI by visiting our web page at **www.pmc.edu/eli**, or by contacting us directly at eli@pmc.edu.

NOTES FROM

COMMENCEMENT 2013

Pine Manor College's 102nd Commencement took place on a rainy Sunday, May 12, 2013. Before a cheering crowd of approximately 700 people, 59 students participated in the graduation ceremony.

- Graduate **Alie Johnston '13**, presented a spiritual reflection, and was joined by **Carla Castillo '13** for the Alma Mater.
- The student speaker was English major **Hareem Shafi '13**, a summa cum laude graduate.

Faculty members were recognized for their continuing commitment:

- The Lindsey Professorship for next year has been awarded to Assistant Professor of Theatre, **Dr. Emma Dassori**.
- The Ruth Allinger Gibson (Class of 1926) Teaching Award's recipient was Associate Professor of Social and Political Systems, **Dr. Michelle Cromwell**.
- The Rosario Tosiello Award for Integrity in Scholarship was awarded to Professor of Art History, **Dr. William Stargard**.
- Pine Manor College Faculty Award is given to a full-time student graduating with a Bachelor of Arts degree, with the highest grade point average upon completion of her academic work at Pine Manor College. The 2013 Pine Manor College Faculty Award was awarded to **Hareem Shafi**.

- The Exemplary Achievement Award was established in memory of Jane French McCall Dill, a member of the Class of 1939 and a former trustee of the College. This year's award was presented to **Margaret Roberts**.
- The Pine Manor College Award is given to a graduating senior who has, in the opinion of the faculty and staff, made outstanding contributions to the College and to her peers. This year's Pine Manor College Award was presented to **Carla Castillo**.

- The President's Cup is awarded to a graduate who has furthered our understanding of leadership and social responsibility through her personal and community accomplishments. The 2013 President's Cup was awarded to **Karm Syndia Augustin**.

Elizabeth Azu was announced as the newest Recent Graduate Trustee on the Board of Trustees of Pine Manor College.

- An honorary degree was awarded to **Bishnu Maya Pariyar '04**, Founder and President of Empower Dalit Women of Nepal.
- Conferring the degrees was **Serena Kokjer Greening '59**, Chair of the Board.
- Our Commencement ceremony was concluded with greetings from **Shannon Miranda '00**, President of the Alumnae Board and member of the Board of Trustees.

CO-EDUCATION

PINE MANOR ENTERS EXCITING NEW ERA, ADMITS MEN TO ALL DEGREE PROGRAMS

After thorough deliberation by the Board of Trustees, the executive leadership, and the Interim President, Pine Manor College's Board of Trustees voted in July 2013 to open the College to men in the College's Bachelor's Degree Programs. The unanimous decision by the Board was based on recommendations submitted by a dedicated Co-Education Task Force and is pending an approval by NEASC.

"The vision of the College in this new century is to grow our core values and commitments and to continue to invite students from new communities into the transformative education that we have built and sustained throughout Pine Manor's existence," Interim President Joseph Lee said. "As Pine Manor takes this step to enroll men in all of our educational programs, it does so to build on a proud and successful history – to strengthen our unique qualities of learning and achievement by making them available to all students."

"We don't foresee a different Pine Manor College in the years ahead, we foresee a stronger Pine Manor College."
Interim President Lee

Lee noted that the move to enroll men in Bachelor's Degree programs is the final step in an integration process that started in 1996 with the launch of the College's English Language Institute (ELI). In 2005 the college launched a co-educational graduate program – a Master of Fine Arts Degree – that is already ranked 15th among some of the most competitive and prestigious low-residency Creative Writing programs worldwide, and in 2011 Kings Pathways, an international education group, began offering a "University 1 + 3 Program" at Pine Manor that includes male students. Men are also currently eligible to complete Associate's Degree programs at Pine Manor.

"These programs are examples of how broadening Pine Manor's reach has created exciting opportunities for the College," Lee said.

Professor Diane Mello-Goldner, a member of the Co-Education Task Force and a 20-year veteran of the Pine Manor faculty, noted that admitting men to Pine Manor's Bachelor's Degree programs will expand the pool of potential students and boost enrollment without altering the College's educational approach or significantly changing its faculty-to-student ratio. Regarding the recent program additions that have brought men to the College's campus, Mello-Goldner observed, "It's been an interesting learning experience and a very positive one."

"Pine Manor has always prided itself on preparing students to engage purposefully and successfully with each other and the world," Interim President Lee concluded. "This decision reinforces that very special opportunity and extends it to men. We don't foresee a different Pine Manor College in the years ahead, we foresee a stronger Pine Manor College."

Cyclamen in memory of Michele Talbot

Remembered

A tree dedication in memory of Pam Palmer

Professor Emeritus Burnham Carter, Jr.

Professor Emeritus of English Burnham Carter, Jr., passed away at the age of 87 on August 29, 2011, in Old Lyme, CT. Professor Carter joined Pine Manor College as Academic Dean in 1971. In May 1987, he was the first recipient of the Josephine Abercrombie '44 Chair in Writing. His love for teaching and writing enriched the learning experience of countless PMC students. Professor Carter retired from Pine Manor in 1996.

Following his graduation from Princeton in 1943, he enlisted in the Navy, where he served as an aviator with the rank of lieutenant (j.g.). In 1948, he received an M.A. from Colgate and, in 1955, a Ph.D. from Stanford University. Prior to coming to Pine Manor, Dr. Carter taught for ten years at Purdue University and then served as Academic Dean at Briarcliff College in New York.

During his years at Pine Manor, Professor Carter and his wife of 55 years, Sue, lived in Dedham, MA. Following her death in 1999, he returned to Old Lyme, where the family had spent summers. In 2001, he published "The Storyteller," about the life of his father. In 2007, "Legacies," a set of sonnets about his family, was published. He is survived by a sister, three children, eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Professor Emeritus Rodman Robinson Henry

Art History Professor Emeritus Rodman Robinson Henry, age 86, passed away on September 22, 2011, in Pittsfield, MA, after a short illness. Dr. Henry was beloved by both former students and colleagues and was an influential educator at Pine Manor College for more than forty years. He instilled an appreciation of the fine arts and architecture in hundreds of PMC students. He had a deep and abiding love for the art and architecture of Italy and, in the late 1970's, led a number of summer tours there for PMC students and alumnae.

Devoted to the College, Professor Henry took a leadership role on campus. He served on multiple committees ranging from curriculum to development, and chaired the group that oversaw the 1965 move of the College from its original campus in Wellesley to its current home in Chestnut Hill. He took great delight in the new campus and authored a number of monographs about the history and architecture of the Dane Estate property.

Professor Henry entered the U.S. Army in September of 1943, serving in Italy, and received the Bronze Star, for bravery for defending his unit under fire as a member of the 88th Mountain Division, as well as the Purple Heart. After the war, he received his B.S in 1950 from American International College in Springfield, MA, and earned his A.M. in Art History from Boston University in 1952. He then worked at Harvard University's Fogg Museum of Art before returning to Boston University to earn his Ph.D. in Art History in 1959. While working toward his doctoral degree, Dr. Henry began teaching at Pine Manor College. He remained at the college until his retirement in 1995, at age 70. He also served as an adjunct professor at Northeastern University, Wentworth Institute, and Boston University. Dr. Henry received many honors and awards in his lifetime, including the Clara Torrey Clement/Rodman R. Henry Professional Chair in Art History, which was established at Pine Manor College in 1987.

A long-time resident of Wellesley, MA, Dr. Henry returned to Pittsfield in 2005, where he pursued his passions of art and music. He is survived by a sister, Fay J. Henry, of Pittsfield.

Professor Pam Palmer

The Pine Manor community lost a beloved teacher, friend and colleague when Pam Palmer died on December 1, 2011. Pam joined Pine Manor in 2004 as Academic Coordinator for the English Language Institute and, most recently, was Director of the Enhanced Foundational Program. Her love for the College and her passion for teaching were well known to all. At a campus gathering in her memory on December 7, several of her students recalled how Pam's caring about them was powerfully contagious, empowering them to believe in themselves and their capacity to succeed. Again and again, students for whom English is not their first language eloquently explained how Pam's belief in their ability to master the skills of English made it possible for them to express themselves, tell their stories, and pursue their dreams.

Pam operated her own store, "Boutique Unique," on Newbury Street in Boston, and that venture was followed by "The Silver Woman" in Newton Center. Her love and flair for theatre, however, were always an important part of her life. In fact, Pam did the choreography for four musicals at Massachusetts Bay Community College that were directed by Steve Donovan, PMC's current Director of International Student Services. Pam earned her B.A. from Boston Conservatory and an M.Ed. from Cambridge College.

The College and its students, past and present, are most fortunate to have benefitted from the exceptional talent and passion that Pam brought to everything she did. She is survived by her son, three grandchildren, many close friends she considered family, and her three cherished dogs.

Professor Michele Talbot

Professor of Biology Michele Mastrolia Talbot died peacefully on February 7th, 2013, surrounded by her family. Professor Talbot taught for 41 years at Pine Manor College, where she designed and directed the B.A. program in Biology and Pre-Medical Studies. She developed new courses in areas including the biology of HIV and AIDS, ethical issues in science and technology, human infectious disease, epidemiology, pathophysiology, marine biology and forensic science. Michele was made an Honorary Member of the Alpha Chi Honor Society, and she received the Ruth Allinger Gibson Award for Teaching Excellence in 1988 and 2001, as well as the Kellogg Award for Distinguished Service. She also helped develop and direct the Articulation Program within the Connell School of Nursing at Boston College.

Professor Talbot was born in Boston and grew up on Beacon Hill. She received a Bachelor's Degree in Biology and Chemistry from Newton College; a Master's Degree in Microbiology from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst; a Certificate of Advanced Study from the National Science Foundation's Marine Studies Institute Joint Program at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute; and a Certificate in Public Health from Harvard University.

A dedication ceremony in honor of Michele Talbot is planned and the date will be announced in the Fall.

The Helen Temple Cooke Society was established to honor alumnae and friends who have included Pine Manor College in their financial plans through a bequest provision or deferred charitable gift option. Such gifts help secure the College's financial future and extend Helen Temple Cooke's vision to a new generation of Pine Manor students.

HELEN TEMPLE COOKE SOCIETY

Ways to support Pine Manor

Cash and Credit Cards

A gift of cash, generally made by check or credit card, is the most common way of supporting the College. Pine Manor accepts gifts using American Express, Visa, and MasterCard online at: ***www.pmc.edu/giving***

Securities

Giving appreciated securities to Pine Manor College can be more tax advantageous than giving cash. If you donate appreciated securities held longer than one year, you can deduct the full fair market value, regardless of what you originally paid for them, and you pay no capital gains tax on the donated securities. With these tax savings, the actual cost of your gift can be less than if you had made a cash gift.

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Planned Gifts

Planned gifts can be an effective means of providing tax savings and financial benefits to you and your family, while also providing ultimately for a substantial charitable gift to Pine Manor College. Gifts made under a variety of options, including bequests, annuities and trusts, may provide you with significant tax savings when you make the gift, and provide savings to your estate in the future.

Matching Gifts

Many companies match charitable gifts made by employees, retirees, and directors. You can increase the impact of your contribution by applying to your company for a matching gift. Check with your human resources department for details about your company's matching gift program.

Please contact Pine Manor at 617-731-7113 for personalized information. Pine Manor College is grateful for the interest and support.

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This bulletin was made possible by Professor Elizabeth Gardner's generous contribution.

Alumnae Ambassadors Program

Pine Manor College is built on a strong tradition of student empowerment. In creating the ***Alumnae Ambassadors Program****, we would like to give our past graduates a voice in the recruitment of our future students. If you are interested in volunteering to recruit the next generation of Gators, please visit* ***http://www.pmc.edu/alumnae-ambassadors-program*** *to sign up.*

AWARDS & HONORS

PINE MANOR'S 2013 ALPHA CHI AND HONORS CEREMONY

Pine Manor's top achievers where recognized on Wednesday, February 27, 2013 in the annual Alpha Chi induction and PMC's Academic Honors Ceremony. Led in by Dr. Elizabeth Gardner and Dr. Melinda Ponder, fourteen students were inducted into the Alpha Chi Honor Society. The Alpha Chi induction, a wonderful candle-lighting ceremony, was led by Dr. William Stargard, Alpha Chi Faculty Advisor. For the full photo album visit us at: ***http://www.pmc.edu/alpha-chi-high-honors-and-honors-ceremony***

THE ANNUAL SERVICE AND KELLOGG AWARDS CEREMONY

The Kellogg award was created in honor of Elizabeth Irwin Kellogg '35, by her sons to celebrate her 85th birthday. The Kellogg award is presented annually to individuals who demonstrate an outstanding contribution to Pine Manor College.

The Pine Manor community came together for the annual Service and Kellogg Awards ceremony on February 26th, 2013. William Vogele, Dean of the College, and William (Bo) Opava, Director of HR, presented Service Awards to Staff and Faculty for years of dedicated service. The prestigious Kellogg Awards were presented to Jeffrey Mei, Registrar, and to Susan Bear, Associate Professor of Biology, for their outstanding contributions. Learn more about the Kellogg Award here: ***http://www.pmc.edu/the-annual-service-and-kellogg-awards-ceremony***

ATHLETIC AWARDS

Pine Manor freshman Sybil Lynch (Hoboken, NJ) was named the 2013 Pine Manor College Athlete of the Year at the annual awards ceremony and luncheon at the end of the 2012-13 academic year. Lynch excelled in soccer, basketball and softball for the Gators. She is pictured to the right along with fellow award recipients (L to R): Tamara Sakala, Christina Warnke, Natasha Kopystynsky, Sybil Lynch, Macayla Kirylo, and Khiyana Isaac. For the latest Gators news, visit **http://www.pmc.edu/athletics**

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Reunion Weekend

Join PINE MANOR COLLEGE'S ALUMNAE AND FRIENDS

November 8-10, 2013

Special Reunion Classes:

50th - 1963

25th - 1988

1943, 1948, 1953, 1958, 1968, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1993, 1998, 2003, 2008

Invitations are forthcoming!